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Sir:

Applicants hereby request an Oral Hearing before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences, in connection with the appeal in the above-identified application. This Request is being timely filed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 111833 the amount of \$290.00 for payment of the required fee. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 111833.

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